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MEDIA ADVISORY

City of Milwaukee Health Department to Announce Summer Health Fair & Dance Showcase

Efforts are through a partnership with Anthem Blue Cross Blue Shield

MILWAUKEE – The City of Milwaukee Health Department (MHD), Anthem Blue Cross Blue Shield, and LeRoy Butler, former Green Bay Packer, will join together to announce the Be Active, Be Healthy Health Fair & Dance Showcase on Monday, June 11th. This effort will highlight the importance of being healthy, staying active, and learning about the resources available in the community.

MHD will be offering free immunizations and lead testing for children, as well as free water filters for qualifying families at the health fair. Parents must register to receive immunizations and water filters. To register, call the MHD at 414-286-3064 by June 15th.

A new and innovative addition this year is the dance showcase and community vendors. There will be over 40 resource and employment agencies, free book bags & schools supplies, free haircuts for kids, and a dance showcase during the event.

What: Be Active, Be Healthy Press Conference

When: Monday, June 11th

1:00pm - 1:30pm

Where: City Hall Rotunda

200 E Wells St

Speakers: Tasha Jenkins, Director of Family and Community Health of MHD

Leon Lamoreaux, Plan President of Anthem Blue Cross Blue Shield

LeRoy Butler, Former Green Bay Packer Tiffany Barta, Director of Nursing of MHD

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